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1. By direct order of Salo Gonzalez Diaz, Secretary General of the Communist Party of Chile (PCCh), Juan Campos Campos has been relieved of his duties as Communist delegate on the Movimiento Unitario Nacional de Trabajadores (MUNT) and Organizing Secretary on MUNT's National Directive Council. Campos has been replaced by Idelfonso Alemán.
2. Campos had been chosen by the Party to represent its interests in MUNT in accordance with the Party policy of filling positions of this kind with individuals who are not widely known for their Communist affiliations. Campos was once a member of the Santiago Regional Committee of the PCCh, but, although still a Communist, had ostensibly become a member of the Authentic Socialist Party. When the Communists entrusted their interests in MUNT to him, they had considered him to be one of the coming leaders of the Party. During recent months, Campos has been involved in fomenting various labor disturbances, particularly in the northern part of Chile.
3. However, the Party has found his work "deficient, weak and unsteady", and he has shown himself to be unable to clarify the Party line under difficult circumstances, such as in MUNT assembly meetings. Campos allegedly recognizes his deficiencies, and since he was not expelled from the Party or put "on margin", he will await further opportunities to serve the Party.
4. Idelfonso Alemán, formerly a member of the National Directive Council of the Confederación de Trabajadores de Chile (CTCh) and closely associated with the Communist Escuela de Capacitación Sindical, is well known as a Communist. The Party decided, however, that it was more important to have a dependable representative in MUNT than to keep a relatively unknown individual who was inefficient as a delegate.

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